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AN AWFUL DISASTER

Fourteen Men Tidebound at Milwaukee.

FACE DEATH WITHOUT HOPE OF RESCUE

And One by One Are Washed from Their frail Support into Lake Michigan, and Disappear from the Anxious Gaze of Friends.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 21.—Fourteen workmen lost their lives in the fierce storm which lashed Lake Michigan yesterday. They were employed in the construction of the new waterworks in Lake tunnel, being engaged in bricking up a shaft, a thousand feet from the shore. The hurricane swept away the frail structure which had been built upon the top of the cut to shelter the men and dashed them into the seething lake. Through the heroic efforts of the life-saving crew James Miller was saved. He is the only one of the fifteen workmen who escaped with his life. He is lying at the Emergency hospital, too weak to tell his awful story.

The work was in charge of Schaefer & Schneigle, Chicago contractors, whose loss will be about \$10,000. Work on the tunnel will be delayed for several months.

A terrible sea has been raging since Wednesday morning. At midnight the swelling increased, and toward 11 o'clock the sea became so furious that the men had to leave the crib to tremble. Toward 10 o'clock the timbers supporting the house gave way, and the timbers began to wash ashore. At 4 o'clock yesterday morning the last rafter of the shed fell from the top of the crib, leaving the men at the mercy of the waves.

At 6 o'clock Capt. Peterson and the life-saving crew arrived at the waterworks. The sea was running high, waves fifteen and twenty feet high were washing over the pier, and men were washed from the crib. If a tug could be obtained, there might be some hope of landing. The Starkey was secured and the dangerous trip begun. The tug cleared the harbor, but was obliged to turn back, as she could not be controlled in the raging sea.

When the news came that the crib could not be reached great excitement prevailed. Relatives of the missing men volunteered to attempt the trip if a boat could be secured. There was no boat to be had, however. An attempt to reach the crib in a small boat would have resulted in sure death for its occupants.

At 9 o'clock about 500 people had assembled on the shore. The scene was the most pathetic witnessed in this city since the Newall house fire. Wives and children of the victims patrolled the shore for the bodies of their loved ones. No bodies were, however, washed ashore.

Shortly after 9 o'clock the wife of Jack McGrade appeared. She was almost heartbroken and pitifully gazed out toward the crib. Shortly afterward another woman, supporting an aged man, slowly came down the steps leading to the pumping works. Both were weeping bitterly. They were the wife and father of Mike Dwyer. The aged man could not be comforted. He insisted on staying on the beach and watching for a sign of his son. Mrs. Dwyer was told that the son of the victim was dead. Another painful scene was a group of Polish women. The husbands of two of the women are among the lost men.

At 9:30 the beach was crowded with weeping women. Some were wives, some were sisters. Children were mourning for their fathers.

At 10 o'clock every hope for the safety of the men had vanished, when suddenly a figure was seen crossing out of the surf. It was Capt. Peterson and another. A few moments later men were clinging to the engine, which is still intact. With the aid of a powerful field glass the movements of the men were plainly discerned. The men must have suffered fearfully from the cold, as their actions signified. They huddled together closely and tried hard to warm themselves. They remained in the crib about fifteen minutes, when one by one they disappeared. The driver of the boat did not know the exact number who had gone into the shaft, where it was supposed their comrades were in safe refuge.

The news that the men had been seen cheered the women, who now had hopes of the safety of their husbands. The sea became calmer, and Capt. Peterson of the life-saving station telegraphed the officers at the pumping station that another attempt to reach the crib would be made.

All 11 o'clock the tug Welcome towing a lifeboat steamed out of the harbor and headed to the northward. At 11:45 the crib was reached and Peter Olson, one of the surfmen, landed. All eyes were now turned seaward. Olson worked about for fifteen minutes and then dove into the water. Every one knew that the man's condition was poor. There was no longer any doubt that the men were lost and that some of them had died while the helpless spectators on shore were looking on. When Olson was drawn back to the boat it was seen that the helpless form of a man was strapped to his back. It was James Miller, the only survivor, who was half dead from cold and exposure. The two men and the life-savers were negotiating for peace.

The Earl of Derby Not Dead.

LONDON, April 21.—It was announced yesterday morning that Earl of Derby had succumbed to the attack of heart disease from which he had been suffering. A later dispatch states that the announcement was premature.

Burke Wants Damages.

CHICAGO, April 21.—Burke Ricci, the singer, yesterday brought suit for \$5,000 against Manager David Henderson of the American Extravaganza Co. for alleged breach of contract.

A Challenge Accepted.

CHICAGO, April 21.—Prof. Yates, of this city, yesterday accepted the challenge of Prof. O'Brien, late instructor of the New York Yacht club, to fence with foil.

Wiped Out by Fire.

FULTON, Ky., April 21.—The town of Water Valley, Ky., is reported to have been wiped out by fire last night. No particulars have yet been obtained.

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Carpet Department on Second Floor.

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THE SWEEP OF DEATH

Clark and Jasper Counties, in the State of Mississippi.

AGAIN TORN BY A DREADFUL CYCLONE

Over Forty Persons Known to Have Been Killed and Nearly Two Hundred Others Injured—Plenty

Freaks of the Storm.

MANHATTAN, Miss., April 21.—The greatest fall of snow in the same number of hours in the history of the signal service fell in Minnesota, beginning at 9 o'clock Wednesday night and ending at 6 o'clock last evening. In the twenty-three hours there was a fall of thirty inches at St. Cloud, twenty-six inches at Sleepy Eye, and sixteen inches at St. Paul. At 7 o'clock yesterday morning the street railway service at St. Paul and Minneapolis was in a state of almost complete paralysis, but by hard work a portion of the trains were put in order and at nine o'clock service was partially resumed except on the Interstate line, which will not be able to run all its trains before some time to day.

Steam railway trains were badly demoralized, and especially in the northern part of the state. Great Northern trains due here from the north are from nine to fifteen hours late. A train on the Omaha stalled with no chance to get out until the storm abated. On nearly every road entering St. Paul heavy snow lay, and it disappears in the next forty-eight hours, as seems almost certain, the flood which will result will be of such proportions that the damage will be incalculable. The Crow river at Buffalo overflowed its banks last night, and many bridges are in danger. The Red Lake river at Red Lake Falls, Crookston and Fisher has flooded hundred of acres of farm lands to such a depth that it will not be possible to get out. The Great Northern bridge at Red Lake Falls has gone out, and there are four others that are expected to go out before daylight to-morrow morning.

The Mississippi at St. Paul has driven several Bohemian families from their homes on the flats, and a large portion of the west side, including the baseball park is under from one to four feet of water.

Last night's report from North Dakota says the last stock by freezing.

A Farmer named Newbold, living two miles north of Jamestown, lost fifty head of horses and cattle. Another farmer near Ypsilanti lost a large number by freezing and drowning.

This kind of stock losses will ever be known in that region.

A child was lost in the snow.

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There are hundreds of miles of debris among the huge piles of debris for the missing ones. Such is the scene. The telegraph wires were snapped in twain as though they were pipe-stems, and the poles lifted up and carried through the country at frightful velocity. The whole country is in mourning. The ministers and physicians are at work. Every messenger from the remote districts coming in brings the sorrowing tales of suffering and death. The wind is still high, and as each cloud has appeared the people would look frightened, huddle together and pray.

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FRIDAY EVE, APRIL 21, 1893.

Judgments by the results in the municipal elections in the state, last Tuesday, a Democratic gerrymander will not save the Democrats in 1894.

It is safe to say the new chaplain of the Illinois penitentiary will not undertake to ascertain that institution. The people have been heard from on the attorney of Chaplain Stephen to perform that test.

Gov. Atkinson's admission that he did not attack the management of the Kankakee insane asylum last fall for the reason that he was advised that to do so would lose votes to the Democratic party shows the hollowness of his assumption of political virtue.

As a reform legislature the present one in Illinois stands without a rival. All rights have been lost in its deliberations except the rights of corporations, and they have, so far, received more than their rights; and, if reports are correct, some of the statesmen have received more than their rights.

DECATOR cast 4,024 votes for mayor last Tuesday and at least 300 voters failed to vote which would make a total of 4,224 voters in the city. Estimating a population of five to each voter, shows that Decatur has grown from a total population in 1890 of 16,500 to 21,020 at the present time, an increase of 30 per cent.

The Ann Arbor railroad strike has been practically settled by the advisory committee of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers according, substantially, to the agreement which was made in March by Railway Commissioner Kirby and rejected by the men. The old men who desire work are to apply to Superintendent Conner, who agrees to give them employment as rapidly as vacancies occur.

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The politics of the state institutions until he came in. Alfred has stabilized the management of the great charities of the state by calling attention away from the qualifications of the managers, which is the essential thing, and directing it to their party politics.

The Prairie street people construe the publication by the Republicans, of the list of city offices to be filled as an evidence that the Republican desires that every man, now occupying any of these positions shall be thrown out May 1. That organ does not seem to be able to comprehend the fact that the time of all those who hold positions expire by limitation on May 1. Whether they are reappointed depends altogether on the mayoral election. It is certain that no Republican, who now holds a position, will be reappointed if the Democratic bosses can prevent it. So far as those bosses are concerned, they will not insist that Mr. Moffatt was elected by Republicans, that any number of Republicans should be appointed to office, a rule the Review has the gall to suggest City Clerk Skelley should adopt in the appointment of his deputy.

Drop It, Drop It. Speaking of the methods resorted to to defeat Lew Shalley two years ago, and at the recent election, the Review thus morning says:

What is the sense of keeping up a fight, now that the campaign is past? No Democratic campaigner assaulted Lew Shalley because of the accident of his church affiliation. The campaigners on the Repub side know very well that this was not done.

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It is useless to continue the denial that the Democratic campaigners tried to defeat Lew Shalley by holding him up before such voters as they believed might be prejudiced against him in that way, as a Catholic and for that reason unworthy of their support. They did it two years ago when there was no organized opposition to the election of members of that church to office. They did it again in the recent election allying themselves with the organized opposition to the election of Catholics known as the A. P. A. and nominated a candidate in opposition to Lew Shalley with the object of catching that vote and having done so through designing emissaries sought to impress upon that organization a belief that other candidates on the Republican ticket were Catholics and for that reason ought not to be elected. These facts are well known to the people, and it is useless for the Review to continue its denial of a state of facts as well known.

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Light Colored
Cutaway Sack Suits,
CUT LONG.

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You can buy a fifty pound sack of
Flour for sixty cents. But don't expect
to get the best. Pittsburgh's Best is the
best, and you don't get the best unless
you buy this brand. The Best is the
Cheapest. You will always find the
Best at

CLOYD'S

144 East Main St.

FRIDAY EVE., APRIL 21, 1893.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Dress & Tailor.

T. A. Irwin's Sampaguita.

Fancy Cutters at Singletown.

Read Amherst's ad—first page.

Tax Paid Measles Noctur at Dawson's.

KINNEDY & CO., 227 South Main street.

Last chance to-night to witness the
Ben Hur spectacles.

CELESTE phosphate, the great nerve
tonic, at Irwin's fountain.

H. A. Marz is re-elected mayor of
Clinton by nearly 300 majority.

The Best Blood Purifier, Armstrong
Compound Syrup, Sampaguita.

The Kinnedys will be given at Mattoon
next week, and Ben Hur at Springfield.

You can always get good groceries at
John L. Hanks' family store, 149 South
Water street.

MONARCH Mixed Paints and Collier
White Lead at Dawson's.

Bux family groceries and choice Cali-
fornia fruits at John L. Hanks' store, 149
South Main street.

Various committees for the Sunday
school field day will meet this evening
at 7:30 in the Y. M. C. A. rooms.

Groceries bought at Philip Kemper's
complete store, 757 North Water street,
delivered promptly to any part of the
city.

PATRONAGE C. N. May, the grocer in
Syndicate Block. All orders promptly
filled.

Piles of people have piles, but Dr.
Witt's Witch Hazel Salve will cure them.
W. F. Neider.

Bouquets were plentiful last night at
the Ben-Hur spectacular for the favorite
principals.

REMARKS that Beckman Bros. &
Martin Co. still lead in Baby Garments.
See our new line of latest designs.
ab-22w

THE W. G. T. U. will meet at the
home of Miss Etta Andrews, 323 South
Main street, April 21st, at 7:30 p.m.

The Spencer & Lehman company have
just received a full line of fresh garden
seeds from D. M. Ferry & Co.
march10-22w

THE ordinaries for paving North Ed-
ward street will not doubt be passed at
the last meeting of the old council,
Monday evening, May 1st.

The other day a man said: "I'm as
bilious as I can be." His friend replied:
"Take Dr. Witt's Little Early." Re-
sults: these little pills cured me." W. F. Neider.

MUSICAL merchandise generally will be
found in full variety at the C. B. Pres-
cott parlor on North Water street. Step
in and look at the Hauss Upright
pianos.

John Youse, at the Remington office
is the Deacon agent for the Remington
typewriter. Call for catalogues and
prices.

"NODDY'S CLAIM" is such only in title,
for it is in everybody's claim in point of
dash and glory in far western life. The
play by that name will be at the Grand
tomorrow night.

FIVE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FOUR bottles
of Castor oil received yesterday at
West's Lincoln Square Pharmacy—the
largest amount ever received at one time
by a druggist.

The rough and ready, yet fascinating
story of "Noddy's Claim" is to be told
at the Grand Saturday night with a
powerful cast including splendid scenes
effects.

Wells drove or bore, from two to
thirty-six inches, walled with either brick
or tile. For terms and prices call at C.
K. Foster's grocery store, 1016 North
Water street.

THE city council will meet adjourned
next Monday night to canvass
the vote for city offices cast April 18th.
The new officers will take charge May
1st, after the old ones are chosen up to
business.

J. P. NICHOLSON is making an unusual
drive on buggies and implements. He
has the finest selected stock ever brought
to the city, and his large trade bears testi-
mony to his good selection.

MELODRAMA in all its sensational
intensity is to hold the boards at the
Grand Saturday night and "Noddy's
Claim" is the name of the familiar play.
The cast embraces for the most part
nearly the entire original company.
Special scenery will be used in the produc-
tion.

Deprived of health there is no pleasure
in living. Dr. Witt's Little Early Biscuits
are pills that produce health. They aid
digestion regulate the bowels and cure
constipation. W. F. Neider.

FOR EAST, AFTER MAY 1st.—The Ira B.
Curtis homestead property, corner West
William and Edward streets. Has mod-
ern conveniences, new bath room just
added. Apply to Otto E. Curtis & Bro.

WE make a Special Sale, which
marks that mark it from all other
special sales in Decatur and the buying
public have found it out. Our Total
Sale will be one of the largest and
Curtis contains the handsomest line
of goods ever opened in this city.

Otto E. Curtis & Bro.

"Home and How" which has been the
popular craze in comedy for the
last two years, will again be presented
at the Grand Opera House next Thursday
by that irresistibly funny comedy com-
pany with the quaint comedian, Willis Col-
lier, in the lead. They are great favorites
here and made a most favorable impres-
sion last season and their return is looked
forward to with more than ordinary interest.
Many new faces have been added
to the company and the play innovated,
so that it will be the most interesting and
entertaining comedy ever presented.

National Union.

Meeting of W. T. Sherman Council,
No. 614, National Union, this (Friday)
evening, April 21st, at 8 o'clock, at Grand
Opera House.

Evening Star to-night.

Last Opportunity to witness the
beautiful Spectacles at
the Grand.

The closing presentation of the Ben
Hur special will be given at the Grand
tonight, and those who have not seen it
as well as those who have enjoyed the
beautiful living pictures and the graceful
dances, should see it. Positively the last
night.

The audience out last night was quite
large, and everybody was more than
pleased. Ben Hur (Fred Wilson) was
better than ever in his trying role. The
Master Plumbers and him a huge
success. Miss Edith Ogleby is the
personification of grace as the queen of
the Butterly Dance. She received an
enthusiastic encore, as did also the little
butterflies. The Priestesses in the court
dances, the Blackbirds, the Gondoliers
and the nimble Arab maidens were fresh
launched. The march of the beautiful
Maidens made another hit. "The Three
Graces," Ade Haines, Bonnie Bartholomew
and Bell Dinges, acquitted themselves
splendidly. Their dancing with the
can can was charming.

Don't fail to witness the grand transfor-
mation scene to-night.

Next week Ben Hur will be given at
Springfield, and the following week at
Bloomington.

Last Sad Rites

Over the Remains of the Late Col.
Joseph Jack.

The remains of the late Col. Joseph
Jack were laid to rest yesterday afternoon
in Greenwood cemetery. The services
were held at 2:30 o'clock at the residence,
No. 420 Prairie avenue. Rev.
S. J. Nicolls, D. D., of St. Louis, assisted
by Rev. W. H. Pennington of Decatur,
officiated. The residence was crowded
by the friends and relatives. There were
many beautiful floral offerings. The
palbearers were the four sons of Colonel
Frank S. of Decatur, William and
Frank of Peoria and John of Chicago,
his son-in-law, T. T. Hobart, and Rev.
Dr. Nicolls, of St. Louis. Music was
furnished by a choir consisting of the
Misses Elbert and Keefer, Frank Powers
and G. W. Montgomery.

Sung at the Right Time.

Lizzie Kasper, the fifteen-year-old
daughter of a wealthy merchant of Cleve-
land, Ohio, escaped from her home with a
young man to Cincinnati where they
were staying to a hotel and taking a room
nearby to get married; but while
they were doing so, a lady guest in an
adjoining room began playing on the
piano and singing "Home Sweet Home,"
which so affected Miss Kasper that she
began crying and refused to proceed any
further with the plan for taking herself
away from home. She created a scene by
her cries for help to release her from the
 custody of the young man. She was
released and went home.

Farwell Banquet.

Rev. James S. Ewing, appointed envoy
extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary
to the Court of Brussels at Bel-
gium, will give a farewell banquet at
Bloomington Thursday evening, April
27th, by the members of the McLean
county bar and friends. Ex-Gov. Fifer
will be the toastmaster, and Judge W.
G. Ewing of Chicago, Hon. J. H. Howell,
Hon. I. N. Phillips, Hon. Owen Scott,
Judge Sample, Vice President Stevenson
and the honored guest will respond to
toast. Special invitations will be sent to
C. A. Ewing of Decatur, Adlai T.
Ewing and John C. Scoville of Chicago,
Judge Starr of Kankakee, and Judge Sample.

Approaching Weddings.

Invitations have been issued for the
wedding of Landy H. Martin and Miss
Catherine Morris on Tuesday evening,
April 26th. The ceremony will be per-
formed at the home of Rev. and Mrs. L.
A. Powell, No. 922 West Wood street.
Mr. Martin is a mail carrier in the local
service and is well known here.

Bert Gher, a bookkeeper in J. Mullkin
& Co. bank, will be married on Tuesday
evening next to Miss Mae McKeone,
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Al McKeone,
at their home, No. 625 Spring avenue.
Mr. Gher is a son of Mr. and Mrs. S. R.
Gher. The young couple will make their
home at 625 Spring avenue.

Death of Michael Schuler.

Yesterday morning Charles H. Schuler,
Oreana, received a telegram announcing
the death of his father, Michael
Schuler, at his home in York County, Pa.
Mr. Schuler died yesterday morning of
paralysis at the age of 82 years. He was
born in the country in which he died, and
has always lived there. About eight
years ago he visited his son at Oreana,
and about a year later his wife died. He
was the father of eleven children, four
boys and seven girls, eight of whom are
still living. Charles H. Schuler left at
11 o'clock to-day to attend the funeral.
He will remain in the east two or three
weeks.

State Fair Meeting To-Night.

This evening at 8 o'clock at the office
of Attorney J. M. Cleary a meeting of
citizens will be held to arrange for the
contests in the legislature about the per-
manent location of the state fair. Mat-
ters of great importance will be dis-
cussed. The fight with the members of
the legislature on the question of loca-
tion is now on, and Decatur will be
left to capture the state fair.

A Fine Point.

Tuesday's election at Alton will
probably be contested by the anti-license
people. About twenty-five of the tem-
perance people voted the straight no-
license ticket, but neglected to vote on
the issue for or against the licensing of
saloons. The anti-license contingent
claims these votes should be counted
against license.

The Barber Sale Postponed.

The public sale of F. Barber of farm
implements and stock, advertised to take
place on his farm north of the city, yes-
terday, was postponed one week on
account of the bad weather. The sale
will take place Thursday, April 27, 1893.

"Tamarack."

George P. Miller of Bloomington is
in the city looking around for a place to
open a restaurant. George looks healthy
and prosperous.

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monuments and head stones on hand;
also a very fine line of iron reservoir vases
for cemetery purposes. Call and examine
their stock; you will find the best and
cheapest at

April 7-22w

Strength is Health.

If you are not feeling strong and
healthy, try Electric Bitter. It is
Gripee that lets you weak and weary.
Electric Bitter. This remedy and
directly to the heart. Stimulates and
restores the heart. It is good when your
cough is seated and your lungs are sore.
It is good in any kind of cough. We
have sold twenty-five dozen of it
and every bottle has a guaranteed
Medicine. Manufactured by W. F. Neeler,
B. D. Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.

Ir. is to say the least, wrong for any body to go to church or public meeting and disturb the preacher or orator by coughing. Use Dr. Ball's Cough Syrup at once.

Orto E. Curtis & Bro.

Mrs. NELLIE CALIGARI, stenographer
and typewriter, graduate of the Deacon
Business College, can be found at her
desk in the St. Nicholas Hotel office,
ready to do short hand and Remington
typewriting work on short notices at
reasonable figures. Will call at business
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Wood Power, Chain Pumpa, Iron Pumpa, Pumpa, for sale at Spence & Leh- man's.

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Important News for the Commissioners.

Mr. Lewis Leland, manager of the new
Hotel Hotel, Chicago, has invented a
money-saving device which it is very
important that the numerous hotel and
restaurant men, bakers, dairymen,
confectioners and others interested in cold
storage throughout the country should
know about. His experience with big
farms for many years as a hotel man, for
one, lead to the discovery that the ice
boxes and cold storage rooms in hotels,
etc., were constructed near an outer wall
instead of in the centre of the building
and a hole or window made therein for
the admittance of cold air from the out-
side. According to his plan, the ice
boxes and cold storage rooms are
perfectly preserved, making the use of ice
almost wholly unnecessary during
winter. Mr. Leland is adopting this
plan in the Remond Hotel, and says it

TOILET SET SALE



ON Monday, April 17, we will open our Annual APRIL SALE OF TOILET WARES, when we will display on our FIRST FLOOR the Handsomest Line of TOILET SETS ever shown in Decatur, at prices that make our SPECIAL SALES a success in every respect.

OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.,

Jewelers and Dealers in Fine China.

COME IN+ TO-MORROW,++

And see the Full Line of

TRIMMED HATS.

We can Suit You in Style and Price.

PITTENGER'S MILLINERY, 135 East Main Street.

CLEARANCE * SALE Of Fine Stationery.

We have a line of our best grades of Linen Stationery that we are clearing out at HALF PRICE. Now is the time to secure Bargains.

J. Edward Saxton POST OFFICE BOOK STORE.

Special + Sale! THIS WEEK,

OF MOI-ERN FOOTWEAR, IN ALL THE SPECIALTIES. Ladies' Shoes and Oxfords, Men's Shoes and Oxfords, As well as Misses' and Children's Fine Shoes and Oxfords, at Popular Prices.

WALTER HUTCHIN 111 North Water Street

DAILY REPUBLICAN.

—HEATH & MILLIGAN'S PAINT.—

The best Mixed Paint on the market. Call for Color Card.

—HOLD ONLY BY— KING & WOOD, DRUGGISTS.

FRIDAY EVE, APRIL 21, 1893.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Haviland China. We wish all the ladies in Decatur to call at our store and inspect a very large collection of samples which we purchased of Haviland & Co., during our recent visit to New York. You never saw goods in better form or sold at lower prices. We offer them for about $\frac{1}{2}$ the import price. Call early, as they are selling rapidly. E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

Davis & Son, tailors. Smoke Hoffman's Cabaret.

Condition powders at Irwin's. Powers, 68—Hawkins & Moore, dentists. The Paragon Oil Co. Telephone 417. Fifty styles of Tan boots and slippers at Powers' Shoe Store.

Fine toilet soaps at H. Dawson's, formerly Swanner & Tyler.

For the Babies, use Children's Laxative Syrup, for sale at Irwin's.

Wall Paper and window shades at Conkin & Hauseman's, in Library Block.

More Bells, and Gun Camphor. Armstrong Strong Bells, Syndicate Block Druggists.

True Joseph Michi cigars are always in demand. Try the Little Bells and Bonnets.

True children can witness Ben Hur to-night at 25 cents to any part of the house.

Call and see BACHMAN'S BABY Carriages, the best line in the city, at prices lower than ever. 65-68 Main.

Sum Bicycle sale and school notices in bargain column, 632 N. Monroe St. 15-16.

BOTTLE WATERS, Buffalo and Londonerry Bethesda Vichy, etc., at Dawson's fountain.

The Grand Opera House cigar, made by Koch & Weigand, are the best in town. 242-244 Main.

Boars, Common Soaps, Fine Soaps, Armstrong Bros., Syndicate Block Druggists.

Don't buy a Baby Carriage until you have seen the elegant line at Bachman Bros. & Martin's. 48-50 Main.

Fine country butter and eggs at lowest prices at C. N. May's grocery store, Syndicate Block.

Groves stored at C. O. Harpster's storage house, 628 East Mason street. Telephone 232—Apr 17d/w.

Wall Paper and window shades at Conkin & Hauseman's, in Library Block.

Overseas cans and bulk to-day. All kinds of dressed poultry and fresh fish. Pearl Oyster & Fish Co., 245 North Main street. Telephone 944. 41d.

The Musical Division of the Women's Club will give a Musical for the benefit of the piano fund, at the club room, on Friday evening, April 28. 41.

This evening will be the end of the Ben Hur spectacle at the Grand. Don't miss it; 25 cents for children to any part of the house. Go.

TM L. D. & W. is the first road to send in World's Fair rates. They can be had by calling at the Wabash ticket office on East Prairie street.

There is considerable hustling about the city among the Democrats as who will be named for city marshal and superintendent of streets. The boomers are at work. Some of the boys are sure to get left. There are not enough places to go round.

Spano beauties in the way of Hair and Hat Pins in silver and gold. It is bound to come whenever Prof. Hicks says it can. In the meantime come in and see some of the new spring goods. Otto E. Oxnard Bros.

Col. Taggart had a road of business at the Central House this morning between 8 and 9 o'clock. The Wabash train from the east was behind time, and those the train wanted breakfast. The colonel was prepared for them and served an excellent meal for a party of nearly 40 people.

Brown's Carriage Shop, one block east of Shalbarger's mill, Corro Gorda street, has a fine line of Buggies, Buggies, Board and Spring Wagons. Do a general line of repairing, repairing, overhauling, etc. Come and see this line of work and get rock bottom prices. 49-50 Main.

A Perfect Town Gossip.

Everybody is talking about the remarkable and miraculous cure Professor Volans at the Hotel Brennauk is effecting. It is really something wonderful. The professor is no stranger in this state—he has been a resident of Chicago for 25 years, and his reputation is not alone known in the state, but the world over. Read his advertisement in the last column and make an early engagement to avoid the rub. We would cheerfully recommend all those who are affected to see him. Call at his parlor. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 6 p. m., at Hotel Brennauk. 20-21.

SECRET SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MAURICE.

Special meeting of Mason Lodge, No. 4, A. P. and No. 10, A. F. & A. M., at 7:30 o'clock, Friday evening, April 21, 1893. Work in progress. All are welcome and existing members cordially invited.

W. L. HARRISON, Sec.

New Jewelry Store.

We have a Jewelry department in which we have a fine line of Jewel goods and Jewel gas stoves. Call and see them.

LITTLE & EMMIE HARDWARE CO.

20,000 Pairs of new Spring Shoes to select from. You will do better to buy now and yet your shoes break in before hot weather. All the new shapes, 100 styles at Powers Shoe Store. 117-118 Main.

Notice.

Anybody wanting dirt for filling lots, apply to Ahrens & Dawson's Roofing Works. Telephone 111. 117-118 Main.

JUDSON—PRINGLE.

Marriage of a Decatur Lady in Chicago by Dr. Vosburgh.

ORANGE BLOSSOM.

At high noon on Thursday, April the 20th, at the residence of the bride, 230 Twenty-eighth street, Chicago, Miss Alice E. Judson was married in marriage to Mr. William O. Pringle, a commission merchant of Chicago. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Geo. B. Vosburgh, D. D., of Elgin, Ill., who baptized the bride some years ago while pastor in Decatur. The bride was a handsome young woman and the groom was dressed in black. The floral decorations were most elaborate, the house being a perfect bower of roses, their fragrance penetrating every nook and corner of the two large beautiful flats, which were turned into one for the festive occasion. After the simple and impressive ceremony, and after the bride and groom had received the congratulations of their friends, the party sat down to the daintiest of wedding luncheons; after which the newly married couple took leave of their friends and amidst a shower of good wishes for their future happiness started on their wedding journey.

The wedding presents were numerous and elegant. In about a week Mr. and Mrs. Pringle will return to their beautiful furnished home in the "Dowtowne" — the gift of the groom's older brother, Mr. Robert Pringle.

The guests present were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Judson and Mr. H. A. Briggs, Decatur; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pringle, Milwaukee; Mr. and Mrs. James Pringle, Chicago; Ex-Gov. John L. Beveridge and Philo Beveridge, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Menard and Mr. Fred Menard; Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Lynes and daughter, Mr. Thomas MacCoy, of Tacoma, Wash.; Mr. and Mr. John Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. William Judson and son, Dr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Vosburgh, Elgin; Mr. Robert Berry Ennis, Chicago; Miss Janet McKoy, Fane, Ill.; Miss Mamie McFarish, Chicago; Mrs. W. B. Fomby, Chicago.

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A. V. Woolington, a marble dealer of Monticello, Ill., who has been in the city visiting his brother, G. E. Woolington, has to-day with his wife and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Fitzpatrick is at Springfield attending her son Carroll, who is a patient at the Wabash hospital.

O. B. Goto, Peter Loeb, H. R. Royer and Harry Bechrich were among the Deadwater folk who returned last night from Chicago.

Miss Jessie Parham, who has been in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. A. T. Sunmmer, left yesterday for her home in Lincoln.

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Mr. J. G. Badenhausen, who was called to Chicago by his son, has been here during the past week. Mr. G. McFarish has written home that Mrs. McFarish is much improved. She has been very sick of lung fever.

J. G. Shee, of Decatur, was in the city last night on route to Mattoon, where he will enter his bid on a street paving job to be commenced in that city in the near future. He has a team of horses and will cost in the neighborhood of \$100,000. It will take nearly 5,000,000 bricks to complete the job. P. H. Hunt & Co. of this city is another bidder.

There are thirteen trying for it.

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